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MEMORANDA.

Population.—During the June quarter the population showed an increase of 8,814, of which 7,486 was due to excess of births over deaths, and 1,328 to excess of arrivals over departures. The relative increase during the quarter was equivalent to an increase of 2·1 per cent. per annum. During the six months ended 30th June the total increase was 19,200. Of this number 14,368 was due to the natural increase, and 4,832 to the excess of arrivals over departures.

Trade.—The imports during July were valued at £3,526,631, which shows an increase of £510,301, as compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the seven months there was an increase of £2,255,069, or nearly 12 per cent., as compared with last year. The direct oversea imports during July amounted to £2,234,587, as compared with £1,696,543 in 1909; the total for the seven months was £12,463,835, an increase of £1,200,555 over the corresponding figures for 1909. There were increases in most of the principal articles—apparel and soft goods, agricultural implements, boots and shoes, iron and steel, metal manufactures, tobacco, cigars, &c.

The oversea exports for July amounted to £1,503,556, being an increase of £136,484, or nearly 10 per cent., compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the seven months there was an increase in the oversea exports of £3,519,310, or nearly 28 per cent., as compared with last year.

Principal increases during the seven months were— £

Wool ...	...	...	...	...	1,118,416
Wheat ...	...	...	...	...	1,053,472
Butter...	...	...	...	...	322,105
Meats ...	...	...	...	...	384,804
Minerals ...	...	...	...	...	287,547
Skins ...	...	...	...	...	285,057
Tallow...	...	...	...	...	229,006

Separating merchandise from gold, the exports of the former during the seven months increased by £3,756,782, and the latter decreased by £237,472.

Public Finances.—The Public Accounts for July show that the net revenue for the month was £788,192, or £174,996 less than in July of last year, due almost entirely to the Commonwealth failing to make any return to the State.

Principal increases during July were—	£
From Railways and Tramways ...	52,241
„ Taxation ...	29,823
„ Public Lands ...	15,885

Principal decrease during July was—	£
Commonwealth Revenue ...	265,689

The expenditure during July was £1,144,644, an increase of £43,709, as compared with July of last year.

Principal increases during July were—	£
Business Undertakings	59,380
Interest Repayments	9,097

Expenditure on Government Departments decreased by £24,768.

On the 31st July, 1910, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in credit to the amount of £481,471.

Railways.—The report on the Railways for the year ended 30th June shows that the earnings amounted to £5,485,715, and were £457,265 larger than in the preceding year. The working expenses were £3,276,409, the balance being £2,209,306, or £323,585 more than in 1908-9. After paying working expenses and interest on capital, there was a surplus of £522,288. The proportion of working expenses increased from 58·72 to 59·73, while the profit represented a return of 4·58 per cent. on the capital expended, which is £48,925,348. With the exception of the carriage of minerals, all classes of traffic contributed to this result, which is very satisfactory, considering the unusually heavy repairs and renewals, increased cost of fuel owing to Coal Strike, and concessions and advances made to the staff.

Banks of Issue.—The banking averages for the quarter ended 30th June show very great expansion, the principal feature being the extraordinary increase in the amount of deposits both for the quarter and the year. Compared with the corresponding period of last year, there was an increase of £4,666,501 in current accounts, and in deposits as a whole, of £5,475,239. Reserves of coin and bullion were £2,661,663 greater. Advances increased by £943,550 during the quarter, and during the year by £373,454. The Returns of the Royal Bank of Australia are included in the statements for the first time.

Gold Production.—The gold yield during July was 26,772 oz. crude, equal to 20,091 oz. fine, valued at £85,341. The value of gold produced during the seven months was £445,979, and showed a decrease of £31,948, as compared with the corresponding period of 1909.

Prices.—The general index number for July was higher than in June, and also higher than for the corresponding month of last year. The index number for pastoral produce was 1,249, for metals 1,090, and for all articles 1,210. Prices during the month were generally above those ruling in June; the principal articles to show an increase in value were wheat, wool, tallow, and mutton, but leather, copper, tin, and silver were cheaper than in the previous month.

Meteorology.—During the month of July, three storms passed over New South Wales, resulting in general rains, but their operations were confined to the southern part of the State. Over the Riverina and Western Slopes the falls were very consistent, as rain was recorded on almost every day of the month. A severe cyclonic storm, causing considerable damage, was experienced over the Central and Southern parts of the Coast, and its presence was responsible for violent winds and persistently heavy downpours. Generally speaking, the totals recorded over the South-east quadrant, Northern and Southern border areas, and a portion of the extreme Western Division were above the average, while the least favoured districts were the Hunter and Manning, and the North Coast.

Land Selections.—During July, 159 new settlers applied for 106,864 acres; and 39,043 acres, representing 54 blocks, were set apart for residential settlement. Since the beginning of the year the number of new settlers has been 1,127, and the area applied for 699,628 acres. The original area set apart for residential settlement since the 1st January has been 547,265 acres, representing 683 blocks.

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No. 1.—Population.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1899	710,520	633,560	1,344,080	20,950	1'58	1,333,605
1900	718,995	645,595	1,364,590	20,510	1'53	1,354,335
1901	723,494	656,033	1,379,527	14,937	1'09	1,367,851
1902	741,234	666,385	1,407,619	28,092	2'04	1,395,299
1903	755,078	676,533	1,431,611	23,992	1'70	1,419,734
1904	773,699	687,850	1,461,549	29,938	2'09	1,446,535
1905	795,133	700,874	1,496,007	34,458	2'36	1,478,703
1906	816,590	714,394	1,530,984	34,977	2'34	1,514,390
1907	841,391	731,833	1,573,224	42,240	2'76	1,554,783
1908	859,402	745,607	1,605,009	31,785	2'02	1,588,550
1909	883,357	762,087	1,645,444	40,435	2'52	1,624,487
1910—31st March ...	889,444	766,386	1,655,830	.....	.....	.....
1910—30th June ...	894,602	770,042	1,664,644	.....	.....	.....

The population includes 4,287 Aborigines of full-blood, of whom 2,451 are males, and 1,836 females.

No. 2.—Marriages, Births, and Deaths.

Year.	Marriages.	Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Numerical.	Per 1,000 of Population.
1899	9,275	18,613	17,848	9,131	6,770	20,560	15'42
1900	9,996	18,964	18,182	8,951	6,167	22,028	16'26
1901	10,538	19,149	18,726	9,327	6,694	21,854	15'98
1902	10,486	19,322	18,513	9,535	7,111	21,189	15'19
1903	9,759	18,377	17,589	9,428	7,069	19,469	13'71
1904	10,422	19,857	18,810	8,733	6,627	23,307	16'11
1905	10,970	20,206	19,295	8,709	6,269	24,523	16'58
1906	11,551	21,066	19,882	8,715	6,260	25,973	17'15
1907	12,189	21,616	20,579	9,429	6,981	25,785	16'58
1908	12,642	21,643	20,882	9,323	6,767	26,435	16'64
1909	13,048	22,499	21,270	9,202	6,638	27,929	17'19
Jan. to June, 1910	7,130	11,378	10,775	4,474	3,311	14,368	.....
" " 1909	6,642	10,865	10,195	4,520	3,205	13,335	.....
April to June, 1910	3,757	5,761	5,508	2,175	1,608	7,486	.....

No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.
	Males.	Females	Males.	Females		Males.	Females	Males.	Females	
1899	49,960	27,674	46,358	25,625	149,617	47,817	23,746	49,278	28,386	149,227
1900	45,585	23,198	51,783	30,747	151,313	45,259	21,931	53,647	31,994	152,831
1901	50,234	25,905	55,538	31,936	163,613	44,332	25,168	66,763	34,267	170,530
1902	54,942	26,249	50,855	28,604	160,650	43,433	23,967	54,411	31,936	153,747
1903	46,121	24,449	54,314	27,459	152,343	39,537	24,095	56,003	28,185	147,820
1904	48,700	24,278	54,997	28,287	156,262	39,475	24,113	56,725	29,318	149,631
1905	47,872	26,298	62,991	35,143	172,304	38,586	23,096	62,340	36,347	162,369
1906	50,257	29,208	71,529	42,342	193,336	41,039	27,753	71,041	43,899	184,332
1907	65,684	35,441	94,245	45,969	241,339	51,868	30,018	95,447	47,551	224,884
1908	66,156	35,433	94,436	49,716	245,741	56,865	31,818	98,036	53,672	240,391
1909	69,330	36,580	93,127	48,370	247,807	56,473	31,672	95,326	51,830	235,301
Jan. to June, 1910 ...	35,723	19,448	50,237	27,287	132,695	30,997	17,812	50,622	28,432	127,863
„ 1909 ...	36,063	20,164	42,951	23,748	122,926	31,147	17,941	44,647	24,796	118,531
April to June, 1910	17,802	9,113	24,354	12,118	63,387	15,977	8,539	24,607	12,936	62,059
„ 1909	17,688	8,974	22,636	11,727	61,025	14,611	7,822	24,217	12,966	59,616

No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1900	82,530	45,962	4,857	9,770	8,194	151,313
1901	87,474	46,982	4,579	13,706	10,872	163,613
1902	79,458	46,900	4,864	13,161	16,267	160,650
1903	81,773	42,529	4,249	12,868	10,924	152,343
1904	83,283	42,911	4,842	14,314	10,912	156,262
1905	98,134	44,315	4,859	15,093	9,903	172,304
1906	113,871	48,294	5,641	16,525	9,005	193,336
1907	140,214	58,734	9,782	20,204	12,405	241,339
1908	144,152	56,582	10,788	20,277	13,942	245,741
1909	141,497	55,285	15,057	23,040	12,928	247,807
Jan. to June, 1910 ...	77,524	29,037	7,684	12,463	5,987	132,695
„ 1909 ...	66,699	29,724	7,338	13,089	6,076	122,926
April to June, 1910	36,472	13,102	3,598	6,809	3,406	63,387
„ 1909	34,363	13,317	3,399	6,866	3,080	61,025

No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1900	85,641	42,863	5,798	9,477	9,052	152,831
1901	101,030	43,426	5,221	12,159	8,694	170,530
1902	86,347	36,448	5,956	12,803	12,193	153,747
1903	84,189	34,914	5,136	13,204	10,377	147,820
1904	86,043	35,888	5,837	12,782	9,081	149,631
1905	98,686	36,771	5,501	12,310	9,101	162,369
1906	115,541	39,458	4,627	15,452	9,254	184,332
1907	142,998	48,755	4,583	18,774	9,774	224,884
1908	151,708	51,590	6,605	19,587	10,901	240,391
1909	147,156	54,756	5,985	15,755	11,649	235,301
Jan. to June, 1910 ...	79,054	29,993	4,909	6,901	7,006	127,863
„ 1909 ...	69,443	30,123	4,117	8,116	6,732	118,531
April to June, 1910	37,543	14,901	2,522	2,993	4,100	62,059

No. 6.—Principal Causes of Death—Six Months—January to June,
1910 and 1909.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
	1910.			1909.	1910.			1909.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever	35	23	58	58	135	71	206	215
Measles	6	6	12	...	12	10	22	1
Scarlet Fever	1	4	5	5	7	7	14	20
Whooping-cough	2	2	4	3	11	11	22	5
Diphtheria and Croup	19	17	36	25	58	62	120	105
Influenza	1	10	11	10	18	24	42	40
Dysentery	1	1	2	3	21	13	34	47
Plague ... ..	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	7
Other Epidemic Diseases... ..	3	1	4	8	9	2	11	15
Septicæmia	5	1	6	8	11	5	16	14
Tetanus	3	2	5	6	9	4	13	13
Tuberculosis—Lungs	95	110	205	184	263	222	485	484
Other Organs	26	21	47	46	49	42	91	96
General	2	1	3	11	6	1	7	22
Syphilis	8	11	19	17	10	17	27	29
Cancer	127	145	272	285	294	288	582	588
Rheumatism	10	12	22	10	23	33	56	39
Diabetes	15	24	39	19	36	36	72	43
Exophthalmic Goitre	1	8	9	3	1	11	12	5
Anæmia	7	14	21	24	19	19	38	47
Other General Diseases	16	8	24	15	46	24	70	38
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis	24	9	33	22	56	24	80	67
Diseases of Spinal Cord	12	10	22	23	30	13	43	51
Hæmorrhage, &c., of Brain	56	82	138	140	140	154	294	325
General Paralysis	25	1	26	19	32	4	36	22
Convulsions (under 5)	18	11	29	37	57	32	89	92
Other Nervous Diseases	27	32	59	78	88	60	148	211
Endocarditis	6	8	14	24	11	15	26	47
Organic Diseases of Heart	143	149	292	275	399	314	713	686
Other Diseases Circulatory System	49	23	72	56	97	49	146	128
Bronchitis	32	30	62	59	85	79	164	163
Pneumonia, Broncho-pneumonia... ..	52	49	101	119	184	119	303	322
Other Diseases Respiratory System	11	16	27	32	40	41	81	82
Diseases of Stomach	13	15	28	29	38	34	72	91
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2)	163	131	294	287	387	352	739	677
" " (over 2)	23	34	57	57	92	90	182	197
Intestinal Obstruction	9	12	21	33	29	27	56	67
Cirrhosis of Liver... ..	17	5	22	27	41	11	52	53
Appendicitis	14	6	20	30	39	19	58	79
Other Diseases Digestive System... ..	23	32	55	51	55	55	110	133
Nephritis	88	70	158	163	226	130	356	314
Other Diseases Urinary System	28	8	36	28	78	12	90	74
Diseases of Genital Organs	1	12	13	11	2	21	23	25
Puerperal Condition ... ..	...	49	49	37	...	130	130	103
Diseases of Skin	14	6	20	11	30	14	44	35
Diseases of Bones, &c.	6	2	8	6	6	5	11	18
Congenital Malformations	15	9	24	17	42	28	70	44
Diseases of Infancy	141	93	234	207	357	256	613	509
Old Age	45	64	109	108	243	170	413	432
Violence—								
Suicide	29	1	30	49	72	14	86	101
Accidents	110	23	133	115	359	89	448	443
Homicide	6	4	10	12	15	11	26	20
Not Classed (Open Verdict)	4	4	8	14	23	6	29	34
Ill-defined Causes	17	9	26	38	83	31	114	207
Total	1,604	1,430	3,034	2,961	4,474	3,311	7,785	7,725

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
1905-1909	10·12	..	..	..	9·70
1910	10·01	..	..	..	9·40

No. 7.—Principal Articles Imported, 1909 and 1908.

Article.	1909.			1908.		
	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.	Total.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale, Beer, &c. ...	24,572	155,323	179,895	45,075	143,170	188,245
Animals ...	2,086,388	61,686	2,148,074	2,559,915	60,198	2,626,113
Apparel and Attire ...	397,758	1,019,793	1,417,551	465,914	839,235	1,305,149
Piece Goods ...	58,327	3,249,828	3,308,155	289,127	2,818,715	3,107,842
Boots and Shoes ...	275,098	141,763	416,861	239,230	133,430	372,660
Cordage and Twines ...	39,135	295,988	335,123	46,481	270,103	316,584
Drugs, Chemicals & Medicines	32,272	309,317	341,589	51,072	296,528	347,600
Fish—all kinds ...	12,301	184,994	197,295	31,142	206,375	237,517
Fruits and Vegetables ...	502,878	187,302	690,180	402,094	134,115	536,209
Furniture ...	34,507	102,317	136,824	33,596	88,623	122,219
Glass and Glassware ...	15,210	175,741	190,951	28,918	159,593	188,511
Gold—Coined and Uncoined...	2,788,061	588,092	3,376,153	2,187,346	608,655	2,796,001
Grain—Rice ...	209	96,586	96,795	5,071	120,422	125,493
Hats and Caps ...	89,043	205,420	294,463	99,940	171,826	271,766
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, &c.	3,774	306,764	310,538	27,067	335,919	362,986
Plate and Sheet ...	78	626,223	626,301	40,213	357,497	397,710
Leather ...	106,628	195,932	302,560	113,583	138,198	251,781
Machines and Machinery—						
Agricultural ...	187,295	181,884	369,179	136,498	127,292	263,790
Other ...	99,226	1,599,480	1,698,706	256,323	1,447,120	1,703,443
Metal Manufactures ...	92,615	1,298,316	1,390,931	210,121	1,304,797	1,514,918
Oil—Kerosene... ..	.....	208,385	208,385	13,526	125,955	139,481
Spirits ...	36,762	504,749	541,511	100,837	447,654	548,491
Sugar ...	511,266	747,240	1,258,506	611,866	208,782	820,648
Tea ...	.....	518,572	518,572	39,684	460,034	499,718
Timber... ..	92,542	826,460	919,002	230,469	710,727	941,196
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	143,738	285,345	429,083	145,111	394,943	540,054
Wool ...	1,386,808	9,089	1,395,897	1,360,984	4,682	1,365,666
Other Articles... ..	6,310,868	8,625,014	14,935,882	8,055,657	7,695,298	15,750,955
Total ...	£ 15,327,359	22,707,603	38,034,962	17,826,860	19,815,886	37,642,746

NOTE.—The figures for the two years are not quite comparable, as the column "Interstate" in 1908 includes a small amount of oversea produce, valued at £1,901,221.

No. 8.—Principal Articles Exported, 1909 and 1908.

Article.	1909.				1908.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Value.	
	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Oversea.
			£	£	£	£
Animals, Living ...	.....	.....	1,976,156	60,235	2,059,445	103,571
Butter ... lb.	6,496,365	17,987,595	307,952	779,792	353,001	875,633
Coal ... tons	1,659,600	1,582,336	911,391	838,809	1,061,962	1,347,237
Copper, Ingots, & Matte	.....	.....	5,262	1,125,073	7,058	1,051,825
Gold—Coined and Uncoined...	.....	.....	1,085,702	2,142,401	486,287	3,562,481
Grain—Wheat... cental	311,822	1,913,052	96,762	684,901	76,608	92,621
Flour ... "	456,954	433,151	239,381	231,227	197,852	170,382
Leather ...	.....	.....	126,222	281,561	120,576	296,154
Meats—Mutton and Lamb lb.	1,747,465	56,384,554	14,520	551,796	21,351	526,423
Rabbits & Hares prs.	276,424	7,172,150	2,489	329,020	1,456	247,525
Oil—Cocoanut ... cwt.	8,740	90,243	17,010	123,423	8,420	105,392
Ores ...	.....	.....	2,269	191,272	2,539	185,034
Skins—Hides ...	.....	.....	85,771	261,410	68,958	207,625
Sheep ... No.	471,064	3,680,847	102,757	395,674	93,253	287,595
Rabbit and Hare lb.	1,317,914	3,135,800	60,844	160,372	25,054	139,527
Other ...	.....	.....	9,193	441,608	7,272	251,374
Silver, Lead, Concentrates, &c.	.....	.....	2,080,263	1,572,392	2,021,580	2,126,945
Tallow ... cwt.	11,914	530,667	12,087	697,566	3,975	429,599
Timber... ..	.....	.....	59,551	259,096	68,891	305,781
Tin, Ingots ... cwt.	362	73,529	2,253	496,684	2,713	502,995
Wool—Greasy and Scoured lb.	71,211,832	292,751,777	3,002,577	12,148,346	2,306,800	11,859,183
All other Articles ...	.....	.....	5,593,096	2,272,131	5,109,997	2,205,807
Total ...	£	.....	15,792,608	26,044,789	14,105,050	26,880,709

No. 9.—Trade.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.		
	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1899 ...	10,868,437	14,725,878	25,594,315	8,862,274	19,583,192	28,445,466
1900 ...	10,164,080	17,396,991	27,561,071	9,979,214	18,185,302	28,164,516
1901 ...	9,368,011	17,560,207	26,928,218	9,140,497	18,210,625	27,351,122
1902 ...	10,949,675	15,024,535	25,974,210	7,568,922	15,975,129	23,544,051
1903 ...	12,792,252	13,977,917	26,770,169	7,876,898	18,941,161	26,818,059
1904 ...	14,152,101	13,133,857	27,285,958	9,918,050	23,886,484	33,004,534
1905 ...	14,938,885	14,485,123	29,424,008	12,263,472	24,518,534	36,782,006
1906 ...	17,061,860	17,603,503	34,665,363	14,651,156	30,986,888	45,638,044
1907 ...	18,595,804	20,860,391	39,456,195	15,880,905	32,894,073	48,774,978
1908 ...	17,814,260	19,828,486	37,642,746	14,105,050	26,880,709	40,985,759
1909 ...	17,146,943	20,888,019	38,034,962	15,792,608	26,044,789	41,837,397

No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1910.			1909.			Increase.
	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	802,186	1,698,919	2,501,105	762,598	1,716,534	2,479,132	21,973
February ...	1,122,351	1,944,131	3,066,482	977,396	1,705,633	2,683,029	383,453
March ...	1,006,829	2,159,677	3,166,506	990,613	1,998,121	2,988,734	177,772
April ...	1,156,916	2,006,329	3,163,245	811,372	1,366,040	2,177,412	985,833
May ...	1,183,991	1,744,260	2,928,251	1,147,355	1,867,611	3,014,966	(—) 86,715
June ...	1,337,316	1,677,801	3,015,117	1,071,045	1,681,620	2,752,665	262,452
July ...	1,129,399	2,397,232	3,526,631	1,176,385	1,839,945	3,016,330	510,301
Total (7 mths) £	7,738,988	13,628,349	21,367,337	6,936,764	12,175,504	19,112,268	2,255,069

No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1910.			1909.			Increase.
	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	2,452,633	830,037	3,282,670	2,676,430	920,463	3,596,893	(—) 314,223
February ...	3,400,540	890,129	4,290,669	2,333,048	823,391	3,156,439	1,134,230
March ...	3,044,957	938,609	3,983,566	2,425,668	954,723	3,380,391	603,175
April ...	2,068,665	1,126,369	3,195,034	1,036,389	984,433	2,020,822	1,174,212
May ...	1,893,630	1,283,302	3,176,932	1,566,581	1,025,805	2,592,386	584,546
June ...	1,739,692	1,284,115	3,023,807	1,179,175	941,614	2,120,789	903,018
July ...	1,503,556	*	.....	1,367,072	1,261,688	2,628,760	136,484†
Total (7 mths) £	16,103,673	.....	.....	12,584,363	6,912,117	19,496,480	3,519,310†

* Not yet available. † Oversea only. (—) Denotes decrease.

No. 12.—Principal Articles Imported during July, and during the seven months January to July.

Article.	1910.				1909.			
	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.		Total.	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.		Total.
		Interstate.	Direct.			Interstate.	Direct.	
July.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer	1,711	699	9,066	11,476	1,248	527	10,670	12,445
Animals	86,113	100	26,897	113,110	127,336	100	3,076	130,522
Apparel and Soft Goods ...	41,426	24,497	603,076	668,999	23,928	7,620	510,187	541,735
Boots and Shoes	26,069	748	13,763	40,580	20,413	422	6,392	27,227
Butter	7,255	...	28	7,283	10,574	...	1,097	11,671
Confectionery	4,344	227	3,204	7,775	4,513	512	2,149	7,174
Cordage and Twines	2,909	147	24,715	27,831	2,599	161	20,254	23,014
Fish—all kinds	1,184	1,312	6,141	8,637	962	788	4,105	5,855
Fruits—Fresh	28,990	...	377	29,367	26,246	...	7,477	33,723
Gold—Coined & Uncoined.	193,700	...	56,334	250,034	135,699	200	38,806	174,705
Grain—Wheat	145	...	...	145	1,931	...	...	1,931
Flour	4,250	...	1	4,251	7,623	...	3	7,626
Hats and Caps	7,666	1,191	22,646	31,503	5,563	1,129	13,520	20,212
Implements—Agricultural.	7,537	1,422	18,522	27,481	4,584	2,569	10,023	17,176
Iron & Steel—Bar, Rod, &c.	671	3,436	40,437	44,544	410	1,766	28,010	30,186
Galvanized Sheet ...	...	3,054	32,683	35,737	...	2,324	49,105	51,429
Leather	13,601	1,934	26,387	41,922	8,365	1,690	12,426	22,481
Machines and Machinery...	8,636	9,901	120,619	139,156	8,476	8,348	68,780	85,604
Metal Manufactures—								
Dutiable	8,561	5,185	48,510	62,256	8,513	4,676	45,280	58,469
Free	201	4,208	75,941	80,350	167	3,553	49,095	52,815
Milk—Preserved	3,203	138	5,824	9,165	1,898	652	4,239	6,789
Oil—Kerosene	*	*	240	240	*	*	20,591	20,591
Potatoes	27,034	...	...	27,034	29,021	...	...	29,021
Spirits	3,135	3,132	37,332	43,599	3,240	3,098	42,664	49,002
Sugar	66,478	1,269	14,346	82,093	10,307	144	35,076	45,527
Tea ... ..	...	3,049	66,199	69,548	...	3,035	35,273	38,308
Timber	5,639	9,305	83,640	98,644	6,160	6,644	48,264	61,068
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	14,718	1,054	32,442	48,214	9,231	815	25,698	35,744
Wine	3,990	15	1,356	5,361	4,927	52	847	5,826
Wool	45,908	...	328	46,236	112,205	33	311	112,549
Other Articles	514,265	86,562	863,233	1,464,060	600,246	92,544	603,112	1,295,902
Total	£ 1,129,399	162,645	2,234,587	3,526,631	1,176,385	143,402	1,696,543	3,016,330
January to July.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer	13,724	4,475	75,913	94,112	12,084	6,910	84,065	103,059
Animals	466,727	1,625	94,274	562,626	535,161	773	25,270	561,204
Apparel and Soft Goods ...	325,316	140,939	3,112,487	3,578,742	20,974	59,472	2,582,042	2,864,488
Boots and Shoes	144,444	4,470	99,523	248,437	133,595	3,588	63,145	200,328
Butter	62,954	...	2,356	65,310	70,540	...	2,103	72,643
Confectionery	27,605	2,098	18,952	48,655	22,664	1,458	23,944	48,066
Cordage and Twines	18,572	881	141,378	160,831	13,424	1,481	151,872	166,777
Fish—all kinds	6,475	10,737	89,011	106,223	6,992	8,917	91,357	107,266
Fruits—Fresh	191,303	520	33,943	225,766	164,053	1,218	56,885	222,159
Gold—Coined & Uncoined.	1,977,366	...	256,506	2,233,872	1,132,767	930	353,827	1,487,524
Grain—Wheat	6,267	...	5	6,272	14,410	...	4	14,420
Flour	36,162	56	28	36,246	61,035	1	100	61,136
Hats and Caps	62,340	5,947	77,133	145,420	89,421	5,519	57,180	152,120
Implements—Agricultural.	114,575	19,914	97,605	232,094	65,888	20,250	48,864	135,032
Iron & Steel—Bar, Rod, &c.	1,889	16,088	244,660	262,637	1,935	12,814	205,920	220,669
Galvanized Sheet ...	33	24,656	317,816	342,505	66	16,430	299,073	315,569
Leather	74,603	17,913	76,577	169,093	58,907	12,477	100,843	172,227
Machines and Machinery...	56,865	101,798	731,932	890,595	49,642	61,889	845,427	956,958
Metal Manufactures—								
Dutiable	63,947	30,080	329,445	422,581	47,932	28,251	267,821	344,004
Free	1,909	31,096	426,682	459,687	1,164	20,394	448,935	470,493
Milk—Preserved	25,625	551	29,155	55,331	21,343	5,580	41,728	68,651
Oil—Kerosene	*	*	95,713	95,713	*	*	132,099	132,099
Potatoes	174,952	...	8	174,960	193,922	...	110	194,032
Spirits	20,689	21,032	250,733	292,454	19,236	19,358	225,123	263,717
Sugar	160,777	10,060	176,387	347,224	122,691	1,631	221,584	345,906
Tea ... ..	...	22,083	268,357	290,440	...	18,013	235,104	253,117
Timber	37,455	49,839	444,796	532,090	53,403	30,303	457,147	540,853
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	66,766	5,858	193,745	266,369	62,213	6,839	118,616	187,668
Wine	26,913	324	10,597	37,834	28,338	294	7,101	35,733
Wool	513,865	...	1,223	515,088	646,911	38	8,666	655,015
Other Articles	3,059,770	641,465	4,766,895	8,468,130	3,102,047	567,396	4,107,892	7,777,335
Total	£ 7,738,988	1,164,514	12,463,835	21,367,337	6,936,764	912,224	11,263,280	19,112,268

* Information not available.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea during July, and during the seven months January to July.

Article.	1910.				1909.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.
July.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	97	97	£ 3,468	£ 3,468	10	11	£ 346	£ 496
Butter lb.	85,278	85,278	4,733	4,733	128,576	128,576	6,986	6,986
Coal ton	139,041	139,341	74,278	74,537	141,915	141,915	74,872	74,872
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	37,461	37,461	102,942	102,942	39,779	39,779	115,280	115,280
Fruits—Fresh entl.	7,071	7,071	4,928	4,928	6,057	6,081	4,550	4,561
Gold—Coined, Uncoinced	.....	.....	71,008	71,008	.....	.....	115,826	115,826
Grain—Wheat... .. entl.	123,534	123,534	40,941	40,941	69	69	30	30
Flour „	32,490	32,490	13,957	13,957	18,012	18,012	10,868	10,868
Lead cwt.	124,080	124,200	71,053	71,134	114,325	114,430	67,868	67,939
Leather... ..	.....	.....	27,291	28,857	.....	.....	17,047	18,401
Meats—Beef lb.	1,647,970	1,647,970	19,771	19,771	25,443	25,443	253	253
Mutton & Lamb „	7,113,541	7,113,541	69,423	69,423	905,314	905,314	7,660	7,660
Rabbits & Hares pair	1,231,834	1,231,834	65,569	65,569	1,122,856	1,122,856	51,636	51,636
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	1,411,439	1,414,410	25,018	25,131	1,070,657	1,071,410	21,266	21,306
Oil—Cocoanut cwt.	2,069	2,069	4,047	4,047	10,702	10,702	14,960	14,960
Ores, Spelter, &c. ...	.....	.....	44,278	44,394	.....	.....	41,858	41,858
Silver Bullion oz.	166,008	166,008	16,180	16,180	340,768	340,768	32,998	32,998
Skins—Hides No.	25,843	25,843	28,727	28,727	26,973	26,973	27,937	27,937
Sheep „	206,886	206,886	27,789	27,789	117,695	117,695	19,942	19,942
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	835,337	835,835	49,036	49,120	534,637	534,637	30,007	30,007
Other ... ..	.....	.....	94,001	94,021	.....	.....	46,482	46,482
Tallow cwt.	58,821	58,969	89,593	89,793	33,321	33,321	45,519	45,519
Timber ... ..	.....	.....	12,990	15,058	.....	.....	21,336	23,400
Tin, Ingots, &c. ... cwt.	4,680	4,680	34,986	34,986	7,375	7,375	50,136	50,136
Wine gal.	1,727	1,877	686	801	2,406	2,514	716	815
Wool lb.	5,631,620	5,631,620	331,402	331,402	7,665,824	7,665,824	376,255	376,255
Other Articles ... ..	.....	.....	80,435	171,829	.....	.....	94,180	161,549
Total ... .. £	.....	.....	1,407,630	1,503,556	.....	.....	1,295,914	1,367,072
January to July.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	678	683	25,605	30,155	381	383	14,842	15,192
Butter lb.	154,134,447	154,134,447	677,024	677,024	8,452,969	8,469,719	354,047	354,919
Coal ton	861,300	862,000	459,375	459,984	996,636	996,636	528,860	528,860
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	247,831	247,831	714,416	714,416	197,875	197,875	560,652	560,652
Fruits—Fresh entl.	22,780	23,803	15,539	16,575	20,995	22,306	15,025	16,586
Gold—Coined, Uncoinced	.....	.....	859,734	859,734	.....	.....	1,097,206	1,097,206
Grain—Wheat... .. entl.	4,741,165	4,741,165	1,729,868	1,729,868	1,890,056	1,890,056	676,396	676,396
Flour „	296,256	296,256	139,510	139,540	285,361	285,361	149,300	149,300
Lead cwt.	793,140	793,405	467,435	467,620	465,046	465,215	284,729	284,863
Leather... ..	.....	.....	168,135	175,869	.....	.....	133,918	140,092
Meats—Beef lb.	6,260,188	6,260,188	70,167	70,167	575,410	575,410	6,716	6,716
Mutton & Lamb „	44,146,820	44,146,820	476,751	476,751	20,275,798	20,275,798	207,754	207,754
Rabbits & Hares pair	3,396,415	3,396,415	170,661	170,661	4,231,232	4,231,232	183,369	183,369
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	10,968,924	10,976,888	199,494	199,843	7,221,165	7,227,406	134,502	134,779
Oil—Cocoanut... .. cwt.	61,006	61,006	107,977	107,977	50,171	50,392	67,034	67,335
Ores, Spelter, &c. ...	.....	.....	357,142	357,210	.....	.....	169,093	169,166
Silver Bullion oz.	1,228,081	1,228,081	118,610	118,610	2,120,652	2,120,652	209,329	209,329
Skins—Hides No.	106,704	106,704	112,970	112,970	136,033	136,052	119,531	119,561
Sheep „	1,974,408	1,974,408	196,171	196,171	1,564,253	1,567,313	136,490	136,628
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	3,326,916	3,327,414	191,933	192,017	1,524,622	1,527,310	75,772	75,936
Other ... ..	.....	.....	265,571	265,602	.....	.....	149,522	149,578
Tallow cwt.	374,170	374,514	547,438	547,917	241,610	241,610	318,911	318,911
Timber ... ..	.....	.....	125,231	137,706	.....	.....	140,524	149,470
Tin, Ingots, &c. ... cwt.	27,754	27,754	208,834	208,834	44,057	44,057	286,257	286,257
Wine gal.	14,409	15,700	4,771	5,719	21,359	22,804	6,728	7,876
Wool lb.	144,774,601	144,774,401	6,458,182	6,458,278	132,476,518	132,476,518	5,339,862	5,339,862
Other Articles ... ..	.....	.....	585,847	1,206,455	.....	.....	627,803	1,197,770
Total ... .. £	.....	.....	15,454,421	16,103,673	.....	.....	11,994,172	12,584,363

NOTE.—The difference between the value of Australian produce exported and the total export represents the value of produce of oversea origin re-exported.

No. 14.—Outward Interstate Transfers during June, and during the six months January to June.

NOTE.—The figures for July, 1910, are not yet available.

Article.	1910.			1909.		
	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Oversea Produce.	Total.
June.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Animals—Live	124,742	...	124,742	101,765	.....	101,765
Apparel and Soft Goods	28,287	28,897	57,184	11,997	26,404	38,401
Biscuits	6,403	26	6,429	6,072	3	6,075
Boots and Shoes—Leather... ..	14,592	1,428	16,020	11,554	2,117	13,671
Butter	40,155	.....	40,155	51,760	.....	51,760
Cement	4,602	62	4,664	4,537	4	4,541
Coal	110,886	.....	110,886	81,103	.....	81,103
Fruits—Fresh	1,499	568	2,067	12,083	564	12,647
Gold—Coined and Uncoined	107,000	.....	107,000	42,614	.....	42,614
Grain—Wheat	8,663	.....	8,663	663	.....	663
Flour	24,176	.....	24,176	17,820	.....	17,820
Hats and Caps	5,207	1,699	6,906	4,106	1,353	5,459
Leather	5,911	4,111	10,022	5,670	4,771	10,441
Metal Manufactures—Dutiable	6,416	10,168	16,584	4,747	12,539	17,286
Free	298	8,976	9,274	314	13,879	14,193
Potatoes	2,918	...	2,918	3,362	.....	3,362
Skins and Hides	22,105	.....	22,105	17,888	455	18,343
Soap	5,494	6	5,500	3,546	.....	3,546
Spelter, Concentrates, &c.	*	*	*	*	*	*
Spirits	1,861	8,713	10,574	1,823	9,055	10,878
Sugar	321	15,295	15,616	27,975	4,967	32,942
Tea ... ..	.....	10,695	10,695	.....	10,092	10,092
Timber	6,715	785	7,500	4,036	790	4,826
Tobacco, Cigars, &c... ..	24,678	1,527	26,205	22,358	1,725	24,083
Wool... ..	5,528	.....	5,528	5,893	.....	5,893
Other Articles	471,234	161,468	632,702	299,804	109,406	409,210
Total	£ 1,029,691	254,424	1,284,115	743,490	198,124	941,614
January to June.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Animals—Live	599,570	2,488	602,058	612,714	1,335	614,049
Apparel and Soft Goods	116,086	173,582	289,668	84,051	177,877	261,928
Biscuits	41,285	90	41,375	33,924	74	33,998
Boots and Shoes—Leather... ..	75,482	10,060	85,542	64,794	9,308	74,102
Butter	174,611	.....	174,611	214,845	.....	214,845
Cement	20,643	598	21,241	21,042	74	21,116
Coal	354,171	.....	354,171	438,507	.....	438,507
Fruits—Fresh	44,325	3,028	47,353	53,241	4,931	58,172
Gold—Coined and Uncoined	610,235	.....	610,235	485,799	.....	485,799
Grain—Wheat	166,355	.....	166,355	62,133	.....	62,133
Flour	135,174	12	135,186	104,617	.....	104,617
Hats and Caps	32,169	11,239	43,408	22,124	10,112	32,236
Leather	38,924	26,814	65,738	29,437	28,119	57,556
Metal Manufactures—Dutiable	37,866	42,767	80,633	33,515	55,412	88,927
Free	11,229	27,256	38,485	7,758	41,442	49,200
Potatoes	18,517	.....	18,517	19,787	.....	19,787
Skins and Hides	99,195	.....	99,195	82,020	455	82,475
Soap	28,367	66	28,433	24,938	34	24,972
Spelter, Concentrates, &c.	*	*	*	*	*	*
Spirits	15,223	46,532	61,755	11,915	47,692	59,607
Sugar	77,732	86,796	164,528	150,328	8,663	158,991
Tea ... ..	.....	60,427	60,427	.....	57,881	57,881
Timber	26,481	5,073	31,554	21,612	3,510	25,122
Tobacco, Cigars, &c... ..	135,138	7,306	142,444	121,227	9,182	130,409
Wool... ..	150,758	.....	150,758	169,626	.....	169,626
Other Articles	2,029,505	809,386	2,838,891	1,701,178	623,196	2,324,374
Total	£ 5,039,041	1,313,520	6,352,561	4,571,132	1,079,297	5,650,429

* Included with Other Articles.

No. 15.—Staple Produce Exported Oversea each Month.

Month.	Wool.	Wheat and Flour.	Butter.	Gold (coined and uncoined).	Lead and Silver-lead.	Copper.	Coal.
1909.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	1,504,854	273,244	145,578	137,092	48,563	63,182	51,954
February...	1,276,411	216,160	50,818	115,776	27,888	74,185	81,653
March ...	1,399,349	248,883	54,502	101,860	38,754	58,430	47,171
April ...	190,612	25,793	84,828	170,333	29,810	70,678	74,956
May ...	297,600	38,532	5,998	357,247	32,015	74,143	118,229
June ...	294,781	12,186	5,337	99,072	39,831	104,754	80,025
July ...	376,255	10,898	6,986	115,826	67,868	115,280	74,872
August ...	310,929	13,276	15,045	346,926	61,783	145,118	81,627
September	740,204	16,327	37,496	139,133	82,111	137,826	67,367
October ...	1,603,386	16,757	82,516	251,914	132,252	123,931	50,742
November	2,006,202	16,737	133,657	165,156	87,304	103,816	72,475
December	2,206,401	27,335	154,321	142,114	110,487	53,877	36,249
1910.							
January ...	1,122,574	409,266	148,527	145,061	23,725	51,292	2,496
February...	2,078,587	429,314	148,331	159,218	50,439	44,734	333
March ...	1,548,569	412,553	207,956	96,018	64,000	125,131	39,416
April ...	605,884	325,192	127,184	301,020	89,489	116,730	121,925
May ...	363,414	196,678	32,576	106,674	84,877	129,688	138,464
June ...	407,752	42,407	7,717	201,700	83,852	143,899	82,463
July ...	331,402	53,998	4,733	71,008	71,053	102,942	74,278

No. 16.—Shipping.

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1899 ...	2,406	3,399,349	2,523	3,468,485	2,790,046	609,303	2,839,578	628,907
1900 ...	2,784	4,014,755	2,714	3,855,748	3,206,657	808,098	3,140,449	715,299
1901 ...	2,760	4,133,200	2,853	4,274,101	3,460,193	673,007	3,513,265	760,836
1902 ...	2,888	4,367,739	2,835	4,325,480	3,704,268	663,471	3,680,850	644,630
1903 ...	2,953	4,463,648	3,007	4,466,916	3,683,142	780,506	3,649,600	817,316
1904 ...	2,718	4,419,179	2,767	4,460,014	3,769,303	649,876	3,745,584	714,430
1905 ...	2,725	4,697,511	2,694	4,684,108	4,051,884	645,627	4,042,703	641,405
1906 ...	2,893	5,283,719	2,883	5,275,031	4,659,821	623,898	4,658,235	616,796
1907 ...	3,238	6,070,953	3,205	6,009,282	5,257,019	813,934	5,228,469	780,813
1908 ...	3,196	6,298,784	3,219	6,303,125	5,822,060	476,724	5,737,747	565,378
1909 ...	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,050
Jan.-July, 1910	1,540	3,264,867	1,648	3,235,068	3,011,528	253,339	2,946,143	288,925
„ 1909	1,665	3,318,021	1,685	3,328,995	2,983,832	334,189	2,994,057	334,938
July, 1910 ...	256	542,561	271	357,712	528,530	14,031	325,871	31,841
„ 1909 ...	247	484,388	269	523,202	455,014	29,374	481,640	41,562

No. 17.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1885.	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.	1909.
Imports.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian States	7,595,806	10,049,648	6,758,140	10,164,080	14,938,885	17,146,943
United Kingdom	11,985,597	8,628,007	6,420,107	9,923,117	8,602,288	12,339,068
Canada ... ..	.....	18,784	61,742	114,321	73,443	330,651
Fiji	192,540	99,853	27,890	60,831	43,232	345,832
Hong Kong	340,187	271,730	181,529	67,928	89,351	114,356
India and Ceylon	134,909	239,070	306,932	601,741	717,948	990,938
New Zealand	899,623	932,073	563,528	1,348,605	1,369,001	1,213,082
South Africa	290	55	34	1,013	5,254	58,810
Straits Settlements	40,913	27,148	14,074	40,391	82,830	86,970
Other British Possessions ...	109,850	6,685	18,820	118,929	67,167	171,287
Total, British Countries..	21,299,715	20,273,053	14,352,796	22,440,956	25,989,399	32,797,937
Belgium	195,318	130,819	150,288	147,661	222,994	468,095
China	303,595	241,840	133,870	190,456	28,631	11,906
France	345,231	117,871	76,663	270,084	138,028	142,768
Germany	372,557	639,475	425,697	1,105,664	864,289	1,120,180
Italy	1,311	23,961	39,563	92,732	73,757	117,436
Japan	1,242	22,040	28,179	122,041	145,257	270,984
New Caledonia	82,181	83,920	28,345	28,509	18,399	33,234
Philippine Islands	715	4,414	15,211	49,240	27,854	29,096
South Sea Islands	36,929	40,214	54,436	107,488	103,142	132,542
United States	1,008,572	859,102	624,268	2,557,961	1,636,069	2,014,962
Other Foreign Countries ...	90,095	178,295	63,099	448,279	176,189	895,822
Total, Foreign Countries	2,437,746	2,341,951	1,639,619	5,120,115	3,434,609	5,237,025
Total, All Countries ...	23,737,461	22,615,004	15,992,415	27,561,071	29,424,008	38,034,962
Exports.						
Australian States	6,567,084	10,990,593	7,104,812	9,979,190	12,263,472	15,792,608
United Kingdom	7,293,133	6,623,431	9,371,418	8,273,272	10,222,422	10,384,438
Canada ... ..	.....	10	16,804	66,403	41,520	67,495
Fiji	128,643	98,951	86,420	183,579	245,152	325,523
Hong Kong	246,032	255,050	141,976	218,986	424,460	377,441
India and Ceylon	130,597	257,360	56,462	174,296	1,330,189	355,191
New Zealand	369,055	294,138	486,173	826,662	934,661	1,087,400
South Africa ... ..	.....	1,014	3,266	755,487	371,727	133,421
Straits Settlements	29,190	34,347	24,507	39,898	95,995	215,414
Other British Possessions ...	30,318	27,469	31,268	49,586	89,969	203,096
Total, British Countries..	14,794,052	18,582,363	17,323,106	20,567,359	26,019,567	28,942,027
Belgium	399,549	1,011,846	780,826	620,349	1,787,163	2,113,515
China	21,114	1,037	7,943	68,004	318,159	54,672
France	142,104	233,924	1,436,122	1,024,300	3,570,246	3,214,817
Germany	29,511	404,280	1,141,661	844,504	2,771,396	4,150,803
Italy	1,769	24,498	63,509	61,132	176,770	105,353
Japan	2,758	7,156	54,242	133,989	377,451	833,992
New Caledonia	153,994	193,396	71,344	179,761	135,446	97,081
Philippine Islands ... ..	.....	16,410	18,603	88,043	183,853	240,579
South Sea Islands	68,854	45,290	68,713	126,834	141,381	191,289
United States	985,531	1,300,375	683,606	3,981,242	602,145	1,063,677
Other Foreign Countries ...	151,771	225,362	285,110	468,999	698,429	829,592
Total, Foreign Countries	1,956,055	3,463,574	4,611,679	7,597,157	10,762,439	12,895,370
Total, All Countries ...	16,750,107	22,045,937	21,934,785	28,164,516	36,782,006	41,837,397

No. 18.—State Revenue, July, and year ended 30th June.

(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	July.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to June.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1909.	1910.		1908-9.	1909-10.	
Governmental—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Surplus Commonwealth Revenue	265,689	*	(-) 265,689	3,356,158	3,347,616	(-) 8,542
Taxation (by State)	57,677	87,500	29,823	919,673	1,235,095	315,422
Public Lands	144,540	160,425	15,885	1,850,129	1,782,776	(-) 67,353
All other sources	49,643	45,010	(-) 4,633	601,786	705,301	103,515
Gross Total	517,549	292,935	(-) 224,614	6,727,746	7,070,788	343,042
Refunds	6,332	5,493	(-) 839	94,778	93,830	(-) 948
Net Total	511,217	287,442	(-) 223,775	6,632,968	6,976,958	343,990
Business Undertakings by State—						
Railways and Tramways	426,306	478,547	52,241	6,251,092	6,715,752	464,660
Other	32,364	30,315	(-) 2,049	865,803	903,434	37,631
Gross Total	458,670	508,862	50,192	7,116,895	7,619,186	502,291
Refunds	6,699	8,112	1,413	124,792	56,089	(-) 68,703
Net Total	451,971	500,750	48,779	6,992,103	7,563,097	570,994
Gross Revenue and Receipts proper	976,219	801,797	(-) 174,422	13,844,641	14,689,974	845,333
Net Revenue and Receipts proper £	963,188	788,192	(-) 174,996	13,625,071	14,540,055	914,984

* No Return received from the Commonwealth.

No. 19.—State Expenditure, July, and year ended 30th June.

(Transfers and Advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	July.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to June.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1909.	1910.		1908-9.	1909-10.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental	433,581	408,813	(-) 24,768	5,187,426	4,858,215	(-) 329,211
Business Undertakings	386,766	446,146	59,380	4,169,837	4,610,465	440,628
Interest	230,588	239,685	9,097	3,156,140	3,190,876	34,736
Sinking Fund and Redemptions ...	50,000	50,000	.....	478,791	421,034	(-) 57,757
Total Expenditure... ..	£ 1,100,935	1,144,644	43,709	12,992,194	13,080,590	88,396

No. 20.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account for the month of July.

Particulars.	1909-10.	1910-11.
	£	£
Balance on 1st July	Cr. 637,677	Cr. 989,707
Revenue proper—Governmental	511,217*	287,443*
Business Undertakings	451,971*	500,750*
Other Receipts	44,545	2,360
Total Receipts	£ 1,007,733	790,553
Expenditure proper—Governmental	433,581†	408,813†
Business Undertakings	386,766†	446,146†
Interest	230,588	239,685
Sinking Fund Contributions	50,000	50,000
Sydney Harbour Trust Sinking Fund ... ..	.....	.....
Transfer to Closer Settlement Account ... ..	.....	.....
Transfer to Public Works Account... ..	.....	.....
Other Payments	166,349	154,145
Total Payments	£ 1,267,284	1,298,789
Balance on 31st July	£ Cr. 378,126	Cr. 481,471

* As per Table No. 18.

† As per Table No. 19.

No. 21.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1910-11.			1909-10.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
July	£ 287,442	£ 500,750	£ 788,192	£ 511,217	£ 451,971	£ 963,188	(-) £ 174,996
	1909-19.			1908-9.			
1st July to 30th June...	6,976,958	7,563,097	14,540,055	6,632,968	6,992,103	13,625,071	(+) £ 914,984

No. 22.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1910-11.			1909-10.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
July	£ 698,498	£ 446,146	£ 1,144,644	£ 714,169	£ 386,766	£ 1,100,935	(+) £ 43,709
	1909-10.			1908-9.			
1st July to 30th June...	8,470,125	4,610,465	13,080,590	8,822,357	4,169,837	12,992,194	(+) £ 88,396

No. 23.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.	Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
		Reproductive Works.			Other Works and Services.	Total.
		Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Resumptions).		
1899	£ 63,762,066	£ 589,156	£ 579,738	£ 370,680	£ 486,370	£ 2,025,944
1900	65,332,993	858,193	438,684	382,346	721,720	2,400,943
1901	67,361,246	1,085,747	532,691	505,199	661,392	2,785,029
1902	71,592,485	2,243,672	486,205	1,698,387	510,977	4,939,241
1903	77,692,987	1,683,755	554,581	2,017,346	457,704	4,713,386
1904	80,033,581	805,520	315,305	879,213	288,704	2,288,742
1905	82,321,998	501,710	242,771	465,712	361,064	1,571,257
1906	85,641,734	529,251	365,442	256,780	215,549	1,367,022
1907	85,607,832	421,742	325,908	172,361	174,227	1,094,238
1908	87,635,826	1,363,314	370,819	138,561	92,635	1,965,329
1909	90,307,419	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507

NOTE.—Redemptions of loans are not included in the Expenditure, nor are repayments to credit of votes.

No. 24.—Commonwealth Revenue collected in State.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation.			Posts and Telegraphs.	Other Revenue.	Total
	Customs.	Excise.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1901	820,012	198,996	1,019,008	276,936	1,019	1,296,963
1902	2,323,999	488,732	2,812,731	873,312	8,223	3,694,266
1903	2,861,710	617,032	3,478,742	906,798	5,479	4,391,019
1904	2,604,048	625,738	3,229,786	941,529	5,075	4,176,390
1905	2,390,735	642,882	3,033,617	980,151	7,542	4,021,310
1906	2,563,552	670,370	3,233,922	1,065,633	15,275	4,314,830
1907	2,845,786	727,527	3,573,313	1,191,489	17,320	4,782,122
1908	3,672,146	842,590	4,514,736	1,277,439	23,655	5,815,830
1909	3,465,922	797,756	4,263,678	1,319,698	38,329	5,621,705
†Mar., 1910 ...	2,870,787	536,264	3,407,051	1,045,148	21,816	4,477,015
„ 1909 ...	2,603,998	633,427	3,237,425	987,071	11,650	4,236,146
†Mar., 1910 ...	969,680	164,413	1,134,093	348,575	6,362	1,489,030
„ 1909 ...	881,017	210,148	1,091,165	337,659	4,526	1,433,350

* Half-year ended 30th June.

† Nine months ended 31st March.

‡ Three months ended 31st March.

No. 25.—Commonwealth Expenditure in State.

Year ended 30th June.	New Expenditure.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Naval and Military.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1901	47,605	29,006	262,036	70,744	...	409,391
1902	99,252	63,450	840,685	309,146	...	1,312,533
1903	114,131	70,438	890,203	268,146	10	1,342,928
1904	167,043	69,188	950,108	298,756	...	1,485,095
1905	169,085	69,451	942,905	311,230	...	1,492,671
1906	187,340	73,431	984,371	327,734	25	1,572,901
1907	283,184	74,810	1,049,120	349,493	378	1,756,985
1908	114,631	84,186	1,188,300	447,256	15,620	2,198,464
1909	157,009	87,988	1,290,071	344,298	1,716	2,294,082
†Mar., 1910 ...	698,242	62,073	931,100	367,070	808	2,059,293
„ 1909 ...	487,120	65,574	916,987	265,750	332	1,735,763
†Mar., 1910 ...	231,320	21,527	320,556	158,566	...	731,969
„ 1909 ...	100,354	23,325	309,056	70,758	35	503,528

* Half-year ended 30th June.

† Nine months ended 31st March.

‡ Three months ended 31st March.

|| Includes £210,796 on account of Old-age Pensions and Defence paid to Trust Fund.

§ Includes £159,500 on account of Old-age Pensions paid to Trust Fund.

No. 26.—Net Revenue and Receipts of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1902-3 to 1908-9.

										1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.
Governmental :—																
Taxation—																
Commonwealth	—	Balance	of	Revenue	collected	and	returned			£	£	£	£	£	£	£
to State	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,053,133	2,683,417	2,529,070	2,742,770	3,022,351	3,591,371	3,356,158
State	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,108,781	1,100,193	1,114,408	1,297,776	1,381,305	1,077,534	907,249
										£						
										4,161,914	3,783,610	3,643,478	4,040,546	4,403,656	4,668,905	4,263,407
Land—																
Alienations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,087,087	1,116,061	1,026,594	1,066,741	1,128,768	995,069	998,532
Revenue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	718,140	744,509	734,433	666,333	755,288	789,325	779,470
										£						
										1,805,227	1,860,570	1,761,027	1,733,074	1,884,056	1,784,394	1,778,002
Receipts for Services rendered										£						
										319,179	330,930	320,051	370,762	328,501	305,674	310,882
Miscellaneous Receipts										£						
										265,154	330,088	323,414	284,105	342,746	348,475	274,600
Total Governmental...										£						
										6,551,474	6,305,198	6,047,970	6,428,487	6,958,959	7,107,448	6,626,891
Business Undertakings by the State :—																
Railway Commissioners...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,079,788	4,263,744	4,527,368	5,051,953	5,596,428	5,978,060	6,132,918
Sydney Harbour Trust	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	256,133	261,659	253,581	270,689	298,037	327,579	334,694
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	376,221	385,793	473,562	492,196	496,794	504,092	486,393
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,453	31,934	34,437	39,757	42,217	43,584	44,175
Total Business Undertakings										£						
										4,744,595	4,943,130	5,288,948	5,854,595	6,433,476	6,853,315	6,998,180
Total										£						
										11,296,069	11,248,328	11,336,918	12,283,082	13,392,435	13,960,763	13,625,071
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &c.)										£						
										92,829	103,867	47,753	8,285	14,108	35,102	*62,204
Grand Total										£						
										11,388,898	11,352,195	11,384,671	12,291,367	13,406,543	13,995,865	13,687,275

* Inclusive of £10,000 repaid by Commonwealth on account of Money Order,

No. 27.—Net Expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1902-3 to 1908-9.

	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental :—							
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Govt.* ...	895,732	831,527	883,236	938,398	907,026	730,043	755,058
Old-age and Invalidity Pensions and Administration	553,507	531,983	518,656	510,343	515,177	538,131	627,213
Other Pensions, Retiring Allowances, &c.	37,589	†131,096	†170,909	†170,685	†167,947	†205,599	189,442
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, including Electoral Office ...	12,710	22,586	42,048	10,464	20,426	40,966	4,648
Parliamentary Allowances and Postage	35,014	34,746	23,210	29,129	29,503	26,295	31,236
Local Government—							
Endowments, &c., to Municipalities	43,585	45,480	21,172	18,084	65,805	17,242	7,637
" " Shires					114,494	169,865	198,136
Administration, &c.... ..				1,286	12,090	9,980	3,715
Agricultural, Pastoral, and Horticultural Societies	13,071	11,410	14,363	8,936	17,390	19,627	18,096
Hospitals and Charities§	329,919	301,274	312,226	358,295	328,885	330,114	†343,961
Lunacy, including Master-in-Lunacy	147,238	138,847	128,062	135,367	135,728	144,523	150,559
Public Instruction, including Reformatories and Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions	904,142	913,197	916,071	938,640	946,044	1,038,620	1,088,328
All other Services of the State under the Departments of Chief Secretary, Treasury, Attorney-General and Justice, Lands, Works, and Mines and Agriculture	2,909,555	2,722,145	2,546,101	2,585,745	2,542,190	2,350,569	2,473,405
Total Governmental	£ 5,882,062	5,684,291	5,576,054	5,705,372	5,802,705	5,621,574	5,897,434
Business Undertakings by the State :—							
By Railway Commissioners, Sydney Harbour Trust, Metropolitan and Hunter District Boards of Water Supply and Sewerage—							
Working Expenses	3,169,478	3,132,636	3,131,826	3,184,816	3,444,244	3,749,358	4,145,383
Interest on Capitals... ..	†2,046,289	†2,133,548	2,167,782	2,136,660	2,229,707	2,318,516	2,360,999
Total Business Undertakings... ..	£ 5,215,769	5,266,184	5,299,608	5,321,476	5,673,951	6,067,874	6,506,382
Sinking Fund Instalments	369,413	369,413	319,413	360,016	405,090	406,145	478,791
Total Expenditure	11,467,234	11,319,888	11,195,075	11,386,864	11,881,746	12,095,593	12,882,607
Public Works Fund—Transfers in aid ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	718,051	1,404,479	809,561
Closer Settlement Fund—Transfers in aid ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	200,000	200,000	1,000,000
Total Expenditure and Transfers	£ 11,467,234	11,319,888	11,195,075	11,386,864	12,799,797	13,700,072	14,692,168
Advances made	169,239	72,015	2,423	8,378	31,526	90,213	34,353
Grand Total... ..	£ 11,636,473	11,391,903	11,197,498	11,395,242	12,831,323	13,790,285	14,726,521

* Excludes proportion chargeable to the four corporate bodies. † Includes pensions under Public Service (Superannuation) Act, No. 8 of 1903, 4 per cent. deductions from salaries being paid to Revenue. ‡ For years 1902-3 and 1903-4, figures for interest on capitals are approximate only, as the capital debt of the four corporate bodies was not definitely settled. § Includes expenditure on account of Bubonic Plague. ¶ Exclusive of expenditure on Stores, &c., not yet available.

No. 28.—Banks of Issue—Liabilities. (Thirteen Banks.*)

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 31st December.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1899	1,340,557	202,468	11,779,918	19,648,107	31,428,025	84,009	33,055,059
1900	1,447,641	209,905	12,224,510	20,009,081	32,233,591	78,594	33,969,731
1901	1,499,937	218,943	12,841,599	20,416,857	33,258,456	100,496	35,077,832
1902	1,454,415	208,521	12,587,097	20,472,785	33,059,882	207,610	34,930,428
1903	1,378,642	228,059	12,591,637	19,986,224	32,577,861	65,979	34,250,541
1904	1,345,934	196,995	12,642,715	20,638,560	33,281,275	77,028	34,901,232
1905	1,430,335	218,555	14,859,427	22,211,627	37,071,054	140,118	38,860,062
1906	1,564,670	313,946	16,834,690	22,585,802	39,420,492	117,629	41,416,737
1907	1,756,696	263,018	18,729,709	24,034,857	42,764,566	153,186	44,937,466
1908	1,759,020	294,998	17,951,589	25,958,298	43,909,887	176,122	46,140,027
1909	1,758,913	315,916	20,198,450	25,926,547	46,124,997	131,067	48,330,893
31 March, 1910 ...	1,730,617	444,817	22,327,650	26,000,484	48,328,134	90,791	50,594,359
30 June, 1910 ...	1,801,807	370,885	23,512,712	26,642,873	50,155,585	100,348	52,428,625
„ 1909	1,659,826	298,868	18,846,211	25,834,135	44,680,346	129,093	46,768,133

No. 29.—Banks of Issue—Assets. (Thirteen Banks.*)

Quarter ended 31st December.	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1899	5,865,622	217,136	1,819,359	33,688,862	287,030	316,652	42,194,661
1900	5,933,076	193,050	1,874,099	34,385,388	246,998	403,816	43,036,427
1901	5,814,180	171,545	1,744,664	35,068,787	259,202	379,181	43,437,559
1902	6,329,551	223,172	1,789,902	34,654,744	287,025	346,097	43,630,491
1903	5,824,539	226,307	1,804,956	34,686,452	304,418	318,904	43,165,576
1904	6,175,911	276,446	1,808,266	32,798,708	328,002	264,615	41,606,948
1905	8,624,083	199,177	1,799,231	32,447,659	326,750	297,237	43,694,137
1906	7,247,347	260,016	1,819,417	34,415,596	335,979	379,602	44,457,957
1907	9,342,631	209,454	1,746,940	37,244,216	359,038	443,636	49,345,915
1908	9,350,942	249,924	1,793,518	39,213,472	388,925	431,377	51,428,158
1909	10,521,262	196,489	1,814,351	38,485,738	374,522	522,132	51,914,494
31 March, 1910 ...	11,919,838	199,757	1,819,770	36,539,357	421,824	557,528	51,458,074
30 June, 1910 ...	12,785,339	195,204	1,824,349	37,482,907	407,089	607,367	53,302,305
„ 1909	10,096,626	222,304	1,791,040	37,109,453	344,069	419,509	49,983,001

* From June, 1907, the returns of fourteen banks are shown, the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris being included and from June, 1910, fifteen banks are included as the Royal Bank of Australia (Ltd.), commenced operations in April, 1910.

No. 30.—Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.				Amount.	Year.				Amount.
				£					£
1898				126,978,018	1904				177,797,335
1899				146,188,144	1905				189,826,381
1900				144,080,314	1906				220,860,512
1901				167,676,707	1907				234,169,822
1902				178,637,708	1908				227,736,243
1903				180,961,406	1909				240,645,737
Total, 1st January to 1st August, 1910									152,887,642
„ „ „ 2nd August, 1909									132,136,708

No. 31.—Savings Banks.

Year. (31st December.)	Number of Depositors.	Value of Deposits.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited.	
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1899	260,826	10,069,434	588,490	38 12 1	7 9 10
1900	282,643	10,901,382	831,948	38 11 5	7 19 9
1901	306,311	11,808,710	907,328	38 11 0	8 11 4
1902	323,212	12,425,464	616,754	38 8 10	8 16 6
1903	331,956	12,344,623	(—) 80,841	37 3 9	8 12 5
1904	339,602	12,743,735	399,112	37 10 6	8 14 5
1905	355,714	13,498,252	754,517	37 18 11	9 0 5
1906	392,050	15,320,532	1,822,280	39 1 7	10 0 2
1907	421,928	17,530,157	2,209,625	41 10 11	11 3 2
1908	431,727	18,805,280	1,275,123	43 11 2	11 14 4
1909	460,251	20,150,574	1,345,294	43 15 7	12 8 1
30 June, 1910 ...	478,006	20,823,764	673,190*	43 11 3	12 10 2
„ 1909 ...	444,930	19,022,151	216,871*	42 15 1	11 14 5

* Half-year ended 30th June.

(—) Denotes decrease.

No. 32.—Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1900	2,811	38,477,269	1,394,052	8,894,352	3 1½	26,486,873
1901	2,846	38,932,781	1,530,578	10,763,697	2 10½	29,261,324
1902	3,026	40,505,073	1,401,317	11,649,059	2 4½	30,885,214
1903	3,139	41,654,977	1,048,594	11,548,338	1 9½	32,384,138
1904	3,281	42,288,517	1,177,473	10,400,503	2 3½	33,792,689
1905	3,281	43,062,550	1,491,869	10,467,886	2 10½	35,158,150
1906	3,390	43,626,063	1,926,407	11,863,682	3 3	37,500,531
1907	3,453	44,700,230	2,209,665	12,949,068	3 5	41,413,084
1908	3,473	45,683,484	2,229,295	14,251,052	3 1½	47,487,030
1909	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9	52,051,556
1910	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10½	53,644,271
* June, 1910 ...	3,643	48,925,348	556,859	4,065,916	2 8½	13,832,007
* „ 1909 ...	3,623	47,612,666	428,990	3,648,960	2 4½	13,153,590

* Quarter ended 30th June.

No. 33.—Postal Communication.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1899	2,152	75,318,608	1,408,140	46,806,560	14,641,064	13,663	3,112,063
1900	2,189	78,129,284	1,473,410	51,500,920	14,558,454	14,065	3,219,907
1901	2,208	81,152,977	1,630,490	52,317,650	15,216,387	14,272	3,449,315
1902	2,216	89,047,055	1,734,340	47,763,350	16,995,440	14,356	3,627,369
1903	2,228	90,264,671	1,973,540	37,900,840	16,305,421	14,395	3,638,591
1904	2,239	95,006,923	3,263,264	40,384,812	19,485,389	14,491	3,637,280
1905	2,266	103,576,306	8,382,282	44,599,104	23,077,094	14,827	3,837,962
1906	2,288	115,062,748	12,621,096	47,144,094	25,201,131	15,417	4,452,506
1907	2,319	122,130,948	15,097,710	48,340,646	37,191,554	15,910	4,894,283
1908	2,492	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338	5,149,763
1909	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087	5,177,962

No. 34.—Area under Crop.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane (area cut).	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	All Crops. *
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1900	1,426,166	214,697	29,125	9,435	554,048	4,602	34,968	2,439,639
1901	1,530,609	206,051	29,383	10,472	466,236	4,534	29,408	2,445,564
1902	1,392,070	167,333	32,245	8,790	442,163	4,889	26,158	2,276,528
1903	1,279,760	202,437	42,992	8,692	491,918	5,041	19,444	2,245,839
1904	1,561,111	226,834	51,621	10,368	496,017	5,101	20,851	2,542,919
1905	1,775,955	193,614	40,471	9,772	435,704	5,298	23,855	2,672,973
1906	1,939,447	189,353	38,543	10,313	438,036	5,279	26,374	2,838,081
1907	1,866,253	174,115	56,431	10,378	458,172	4,951	36,815	2,824,211
1908	1,390,171	160,980	75,762	9,916	542,761	4,644	31,917	2,570,137
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,837	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,499	4,551	35,725	3,174,691

* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

No. 35.—Production of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Agricultural Production.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1900	13,604,166	5,976,022	627,904	170,509	546,850	739,668	81,337	5,609,437
1901	16,173,771	6,292,745	593,548	199,118	526,260	891,190	63,253	5,855,674
1902	14,808,705	3,844,993	687,179	187,711	472,621	868,479	39,146	7,060,203
1903	1,585,097	3,049,269	351,758	183,105	243,379	806,140	39,732	4,138,627
1904	27,334,141	6,836,740	1,252,156	227,511	816,810	1,086,820	56,743	8,358,924
1905	16,464,415	4,951,132	652,646	199,640	366,293	928,160	48,754	5,413,710
1906	20,737,200	5,539,750	883,081	201,998	459,182	831,700	50,386	6,543,050
1907	21,817,938	5,763,000	1,404,554	221,560	621,846	1,140,000	114,856	7,517,550
1908	9,155,884	4,527,852	851,776	277,390	376,800	778,500	55,882	6,587,990
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	6,986,000*	1,966,186	131,081	981,112	.....\$	89,000†\$

* Estimated.

† Includes 68,000 tons, the estimated yield from 28,056 acres for winter crop.

\$ Not yet available.

No. 36.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1900	...	9'5	27'8	21'6	18'07	0'99	160	2 6 0
1901	...	10'6	30'5	20'2	19'01	1'13	2'15	2 8 0
1902	...	10'6	22'9	21'3	21'35	1'07	1'50	3 2 0
1903	...	1'2	15'1	8'2	21'07	0'49	160	1 16 10
1904	...	17'5	30'1	24'3	21'94	1'65	213	3 5 9
1905	...	9'3	25'6	16'1	20'43	0'84	175	2 0 6
1906	...	10'7	29'3	22'9	19'59	1'05	157	2 6 1
1907	...	11'7	33'1	24'9	21'34	1'36	230	2 13 3
1908	...	6'6	28'1	11'2	27'97	0'69	168	2 11 3
1909	...	11'1	28'8	18'7	20'83	1'02	165	3 1 4
Mean for 10 years	...	10'1	27'1	18'5	21'17	1'00	180	2 11 2
1910	...	14'3	32'8	24'1	20'23	1'56	2'49	.....

No. 37.—Live Stock.

At 31st December.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1899	482,200	399,327	1,567,754	36,213,514	239,973
1900	481,417	420,148	1,562,968	40,020,506	256,577
1901	486,716	417,835	1,629,619	41,857,099	265,730
1902	450,125	351,287	1,389,939	26,649,424	193,097
1903	458,014	523,438	1,357,140	28,656,501	221,592
1904	482,663	591,936	1,557,193	34,526,894	330,666
1905	506,884	644,164	1,693,809	39,506,764	310,702
1906	537,762	713,049	1,836,895	44,132,421	243,370
1907	578,326	756,916	1,994,277	44,461,839	216,145
1908	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,370,797	215,822
1909	604,776	794,543	2,233,161	46,187,678	237,849

* Up to 1902 the figures include only the cows actually in milk at the time the returns were taken. The figures for the last four years are made up as follow :—

Year.	Milch Cows.	Dry Dairy Cows.	Heifers within 3 months of calving.	Total Dairy Cows.
1906 .. ..	.. 494,820 ..	.. 172,888 ..	.. 45,341 ..	.. 713,049
1907 .. ..	.. 506,395 ..	.. 206,828 ..	.. 43,693 ..	.. 756,916
1908 .. ..	.. 527,843 ..	.. 208,840 ..	.. 40,466 ..	.. 777,149
1909 .. ..	.. 566,372 ..	.. 189,507 ..	.. 38,664 ..	.. 794,543

No. 38.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1899	254,833,000	389,838	33,033,881	2,385,987	6,831,943
1900	237,660,000	444,429	41,479,794	3,558,823	10,863,125
1901	310,075,000	450,713	39,056,878	3,838,835	11,080,891
1902	217,411,000	251,188	29,950,977	4,148,038	8,995,856
1903	227,004,000	235,198	38,727,107	4,748,176	7,864,771
1904	250,941,000	353,082	53,591,243	4,223,621	10,680,532
1905	297,154,000	495,157	53,040,250	4,625,980	11,652,440
1906	325,441,000	487,911	58,941,137	5,389,345	11,843,595
1907	367,446,000	490,519	60,041,449	4,586,857	10,358,526
1908	338,129,000	432,294	61,380,876	4,763,300	9,488,299
1909	370,808,000	638,400	62,865,608	4,775,268	9,925,721

No. 39.—Price Levels.

The index numbers are calculated on the f.o.b. prices, Sydney, based on London prices of principal articles of domestic produce exported. The average prices of 1901 are adopted as basis, and called 1,000.

Period.				General Index— all articles.	Index of Pastoral Products—Wool, Tallow, Hides, Leather, &c.	Index of Metals—Silver, Lead, Copper, Tin.
Year 1908	...	...	...	1,164	1,122	1,073
„ 1909	...	...	...	1,188	1,137	1,066
July, 1902	...	...	...	1,031	1,071	961
„ 1903	...	...	...	1,072	1,152	976
„ 1904	...	...	...	1,050	1,115	1,023
„ 1905	...	...	...	1,150	1,205	1,140
„ 1906	...	...	...	1,270	1,347	1,323
„ 1907	...	...	...	1,400	1,378	1,573
„ 1908	...	...	...	1,130	1,072	1,012
„ 1909	...	...	...	1,201	1,103	1,027
January, 1910	...	...	...	1,197	1,179	1,064
February, „	...	...	...	1,219	1,207	1,095
March, „	...	...	...	1,207	1,192	1,088
April, „	...	...	...	1,194	1,186	1,120
May, „	...	...	...	1,225	1,246	1,132
June, „	...	...	...	1,196	1,235	1,114
July, 1910	...	...	...	1,210	1,249	1,090

No. 40.—Average Prices in London of New South Wales Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat.	Flour.	Butter (Best Quality).		Wool.		Tallow.
			Top.	Bottom.	Greasy.	Scoured.	
	per qr.	per ton.	per cwt.	per cwt.	per lb.	per lb.	per cwt.
	s. d.	£ s. d.	s.	s.	d.	s. d.	s. d.
July, 1909 ...	46 9	11 16 0	106	104	9½	1 4½	31 0
August, " ...	45 6	11 9 0	*	*	9½	1 5	31 0
September, " ...	43 6	11 10 0	120	104	10½	1 6	30 6
October, " ...	43 0	11 2 0	120	106	10½	1 6	31 0
November, " ...	43 0	11 1 0	114	113	10½	1 6	32 0
December, " ...	43 9	11 1 0	110	108	10½	1 5	32 0
January, 1910 ...	44 9	11 3 0	122	110	10½	1 4	32 6
February, " ...	43 6	11 3 0	117	113	10½	1 4	32 9
March, " ...	42 6	11 1 0	122	118	10½	1 4	34 0
April, " ...	41 3	10 14 0	116	114	10½	1 4½	35 0
May, " ...	39 3	10 0 0	106	102	10½	1 4	34 0
June, " ...	32 0	9 1 0	103	100	9¾	1 4	33 0
July, " ...	37 9	9 13 0	102	100	10¼	1 5½	34 0

* No quotations.

No. 41.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.				Wheat (Milling).	Flour.	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.
				per bushel.	per ton.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.
				s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.
July, 1909 ...	...	...	...	5 4	12 10 0	11	11¾	2 5¾	4 0½
August, " ...	...	...	...	5 0½	11 17 6	10¾	11½	2 5¼	4 0½
September, " ...	...	...	...	4 10	11 2 6	11½	11½	2 3¾	3 10
October, " ...	...	...	...	4 10	11 0 0	11½	13	2 3	3 11
November, " ...	...	...	...	4 11½	11 0 0	11½	14	2 3½	4 2½
December, " ...	...	...	...	4 1	10 3 0	11¼	12¼	2 3¼	4 1¾
January, 1910 ...	...	...	...	4 3	10 8 0	10½	11½	2 4	4 1½
February, " ...	...	...	...	4 1¾	10 10 0	10¼	10¾	2 4½	3 7
March, " ...	...	...	...	4 1	10 10 0	10¾	10¾	2 4½	3 0½
April, " ...	...	...	...	4 1	10 7 0	11	10¾	2 4	2 11½
May, " ...	...	...	...	3 8¼	9 16 0	12¼	11½	2 6½	2 9½
June, " ...	...	...	...	3 4	8 19 0	11	9¾	2 6½	2 8
July, " ...	...	...	...	3 7¾	8 19 0	10¼	9¼	2 5¼	2 7¼

				Hay (Oaten).	Butter (Best Brands).	Cheese (Loaf).	Bacon (Sides).	Lard (Bulk).	Eggs.
				per ton.	per lb.	per lb.	per lb.	per lb.	per doz.
				£ s. d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
July, 1909 ...	...	...	...	4 0 0	13	8	7½	6¾	14½
August, " ...	...	...	...	4 9 0	12½	7	7½	6½	10¾
September, " ...	...	...	...	3 16 9	11¾	6	8½	5¾	9½
October, " ...	...	...	...	3 3 9	10¾	6¼	9	5¾	9¼
November, " ...	...	...	...	3 18 0	10	6¾	9¼	5½	9¾
December, " ...	...	...	...	3 10 9	9¾	6½	8½	5	10¼
January, 1910 ...	...	...	...	3 13 0	10	6	8¼	5	11¼
February, " ...	...	...	...	3 9 6	10¼	5¾	8¼	5	12¼
March, " ...	...	...	...	3 11 9	10¾	5½	8½	5¼	15
April, " ...	...	...	...	4 0 9	10¾	5¾	7¾	5½	17
May, " ...	...	...	...	4 3 9	11½	6½	6¾	5¾	18
June, " ...	...	...	...	3 17 0	12	6¾	6½	5¾	15½
July, " ...	...	...	...	4 4 0	12¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	14

No. 42.—Gold produced, January to June, and Minerals exported, January to June.

Gold yield during the first seven months of the years 1910 and 1909.

	1910.		1909.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January to June	84,901	360,638	90,067	382,578
July	20,091	85,341	22,447	95,349
Total for seven months	104,992	445,979	112,514	477,927

Exports of Minerals during the half-year, 1910 and 1909.

Exports.	Half-year, 1910.		Half-year, 1909.		Second quarter, 1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Silver Ingots and Matte ... oz.	757,522	75,252	871,040	86,199	460,405	45,656
Silver-lead, Concentrates, &c. ... tons	143,731	717,518	83,997	480,575	79,943	394,024
Lead, in Matte	10,079	118,403	7,624	91,079	5,669	66,803
Copper Ingots and Ore*	9,049	469,096	5,257	296,750	5,424	299,293
Tin Ingots and Ore*	1,299	165,025	1,271	142,049	703	91,992
Coal—						
To Australian Ports	916,599	446,187	1,184,493	549,091	769,861	362,230
" Other "	900,222	502,285	1,180,694	643,951	755,546	412,533
Total Export of Coal	1,816,821	948,472	2,365,187	1,193,042	1,525,407	774,763
Grand Total ... .. £	.....	2,493,766	.....	2,290,294	.....	1,672,531

* The exports of tin and copper include metal refined from ores imported from other States and treated here. The quantity and value of the copper and tin ore imported during the first six months of the years 1909 and 1910 are as follow :—

	Half-year, 1910.		Half-year, 1909.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	tons.	£	tons.	£
Copper	4,068	75,232	4,339	78,064
Tin	501	41,081	617	51,962

The silver, lead, and coal exports represent the product of the mines of this State.

No. 43.—Quantity and Value of Minerals produced, 1908 and 1909.

Minerals.	1908.		1909.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
		£		£	£	£
Metallic—						
Gold oz. fine	224,792	951,854	204,709	869,546	.....	85,308
Silver	2,490,163	253,920	1,718,005	168,974	.....	84,946
Silver—Lead and Ore ... ton	358,730	1,996,275	269,307	1,484,641	.....	421,634
Lead—Pig, &c.	14,936	186,746	15,476	186,073	.....	673
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates,,	276,720	600,883	373,906	1,041,280	440,397	.....
Tin Ingots and Ore	1,795	205,447	1,943	211,029	5,582	.....
Copper Ingots and Ore	9,071	502,812	6,966	424,737	.....	78,075
Antimony and Ore	117	1,141	95	711	.....	430
Bismuth	9	2,017	9	1,624	.....	393
Wolfram	86	6,742	127	11,249	4,507	.....
Scheelite	154	11,082	193	14,618	3,536	.....
Molybdenite	8	929	28	3,249	2,320	.....
Platinum oz.	135	439	440	1,720	1,281	.....
Iron ton	30,393	98,777	26,762	100,357	1,580	.....
Non-metallic—						
Coal ton	9,147,025	3,353,093	7,019,879	2,618,596	.....	734,497
Coke	283,873	199,933	204,274	137,194	.....	62,739
Kerosene Shale	46,303	26,067	48,718	23,617	.....	2,450
Alunite	1,082	2,705	3,500	8,791	6,086	.....
Limestone Flux	53,668	14,779	45,078	13,851	.....	928
Ironstone Flux	8,087	6,199	4,339	3,471	.....	2,728
Marble ... ..	.....	2,200	.....	1,700	.....	500
Diamonds carat	2,205	1,358	5,474	3,959	2,601	.....
Opal ... ..	.....	41,800	.....	61,800	20,000	.....
Sundry Minerals ... ..	.....	3,951	.....	10,423	6,472	.....
Total ... .. £	.....	8,384,149	.....	7,403,210	494,362	1,475,301
Net decrease £980,939.						

NOTE.—The above table does not include iron made from scrap valued at £19,447 in 1908 and £6,000 in 1909, nor lime and Portland cement valued at £206,010 and £226,483, respectively, in 1908 and 1909. These items are

No. 44.—Value of Minerals Produced.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1899 ...	1,623,320	2,070,657	395,451	90,482	1,325,799	5,959,928
1900 ...	1,070,920	2,604,117	425,301	142,724	1,668,911	6,362,078
1901 ...	737,164	1,854,463	412,292	76,544	2,178,929	5,680,739
1902 ...	684,970	1,440,179	307,806	59,593	2,206,598	5,102,321
1903 ...	1,080,029	1,501,403	462,640	150,208	2,319,660	5,957,512
1904 ...	1,146,109	2,065,540	406,001	188,377	1,994,952	6,243,261
1905 ...	1,165,013	2,494,052	527,403	226,110	2,003,461	6,897,081
1906 ...	1,078,866	2,862,973	789,527	255,744	2,337,227	7,912,716
1907 ...	1,050,730	3,915,946	727,774	293,305	2,922,419	10,295,290
1908 ...	954,854	2,160,195	502,812	205,447	3,353,093	8,384,149
1909 ...	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210

No. 45.—Manufactories.

Year.	Number of Establish- ments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Total Wages Paid.	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
		No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1899 ...	2,912	47,063	8,583	55,646	5,640,384	Not available.	
1900 ...	3,077	50,516	10,263	60,779	5,707,640	4,974,216	Not available
1901 ...	3,367	54,556	11,674	66,230	5,860,725	4,945,079	25,648,471
1902 ...	3,396	54,326	11,943	66,269	6,807,843	5,080,740	Not available
1903 ...	3,476	52,453	13,180	65,633	7,121,806	4,839,557	26,391,028
1904 ...	3,632	53,457	14,579	68,036	7,648,903	5,012,758	27,159,230
1905 ...	3,700	56,117	16,058	72,175	8,031,950	5,191,350	30,028,150
1906 ...	3,861	59,979	17,843	77,822	8,407,337	5,591,888	34,796,169
1907 ...	4,432	65,953	20,514	86,467	9,155,772	6,650,715	40,018,301
1908 ...	4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
*1909 ...	4,619	69,143	23,038	92,181	10,289,188	7,674,664†	‡

* See also Table 46.

† Includes salaries £713,039 and wages £6,961,625, of which females received £34,695 and £822,630 respectively.

‡ Information not yet available.

No. 46.—Manufacturing Industries, 1909.

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
		No.	No.	No.	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	284	3,749	51	3,800	282,339
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	35	540	154	694	165,071
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	273	4,056	74	4,130	534,211
Working in Wood ...	574	6,636	37	6,673	494,067
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	449	18,685	73	18,758	2,303,347
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	759	9,482	2,831	12,313	2,739,374
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	937	6,965	16,684	23,649	1,379,319
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	381	6,136	1,909	8,045	839,097
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	12	335	35	370	9,250
Arms and Explosives ...	3	25	6	31	684
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	339	3,556	72	3,628	65,005
Ship and Boat Building ...	44	1,820	...	1,820	355,281
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	160	2,589	257	2,846	37,382
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products	69	780	456	1,236	168,479
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	10	62	19	81	3,131
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	42	551	57	608	16,513
Heat, Light, and Power ...	173	2,286	47	2,333	1,839,829
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	16	274	48	322	6,604
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	59	616	228	844	50,205
Total ...	4,619	69,143	23,038	92,181	10,289,188
	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.	Salaries and Wages Paid.
	1908.	1908.	1908.	1908.	1909.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	†3,151,993	27,703	†3,762,369	582,673	270,969
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	453,338	9,889	656,118	212,891	54,305
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	185,375	116,470	929,351	627,506	397,291
Working in Wood ...	1,433,302	9,758	2,266,033	822,973	557,968
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	4,771,520	342,574	8,333,250	3,219,156	2,085,509
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	11,070,120	134,456	13,821,942	2,617,366	1,012,827
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	2,035,559	19,046	3,935,722	1,881,117	1,252,746
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	588,707	20,995	1,678,089	1,068,387	731,359
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	64,594	469	136,087	71,024	37,897
Arms and Explosives ...	6,183	19	9,126	2,924	2,363
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	320,501	7,246	771,646	443,899	281,479
Ship and Boat Building ...	118,903	8,402	412,871	285,566	224,181
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	312,781	2,476	642,713	327,456	250,319
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products	382,439	9,042	681,177	289,696	96,344
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	6,015	121	23,081	16,945	4,887
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	66,127	1,057	156,467	89,283	53,713
Heat, Light, and Power ...	354,342	164,329	1,605,676	1,087,005	284,410
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	83,138	539	124,317	40,640	21,521
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	122,477	1,974	217,791	93,340	54,576
Total ...	£25,507,414	876,565	40,163,826	13,779,847*	7,674,664

* If £146,452, the value added to articles already included in primary industries, be deducted, the total value of the production from the manufacturing industries is £13,633,395.

† Including value of wool treated.

No. 47.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-1908.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	337,739	457,067	546,884	555,068	582,673
Oils and Fats, &c.	160,718	177,877	193,384	191,721	212,891
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	422,272	462,447	501,266	561,280	627,506
Working in Wood	649,149	645,027	691,036	801,053	822,973
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,443,432	2,781,996	3,205,590	3,586,103	3,219,156
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,237,369	2,170,757	2,407,478	2,572,503	2,470,914
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	1,289,527	1,510,922	1,716,989	1,881,117
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	950,771	847,996	906,690	1,071,864	1,068,387
Musical Instruments, &c.	22,309	54,799	59,343	65,742	71,024
Arms and Explosives	1,480	1,541	2,025	1,620	2,924
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	257,251	303,433	392,036	443,899
Ship and Boat Building	148,800	179,380	198,594	278,630	285,566
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	220,434	228,903	264,437	301,010	327,456
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	74,006	199,100	222,053	266,880	289,696
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments ..	17,304	10,925	13,712	13,903	16,945
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	24,698	48,705	57,469	79,382	89,283
Heat, Light, and Power	624,567	739,397	724,286	920,390	1,087,005
Leatherware, n.e.i.	12,243	24,229	28,166	32,302	40,640
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	37,047	53,799	69,323	72,376	93,340
Total	9,741,598	10,630,723	11,906,091	13,480,852	13,633,395

NOTE.—The value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

No. 48.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1909.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor—Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1894	11,168	3,439	4,947	2,548	*	690	22,792	6,880	29,672
1895	11,774	4,101	4,499	2,546	*	715	23,635	7,006	30,641
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,899	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,228	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
†1909	19,650	10,250	7,600	3,750	2,000	1,150	44,400	13,600	58,000

Prior to 1904 included with the Dairying Industry.

† Figures for 1909 are preliminary, and subject to revision.

No. 49.—Current Rates of Wages.

NOTE.—The averages stated indicate the approximate amount earned per week all the year round, allowance being made for the exigencies of the various trades, such as bad weather, idleness through scarcity of employment, &c. Except where specially mentioned, the ordinary working week consists of 48 hours. The rates shown are practically the minimum.

Bakers (bread)—

Board hands, 52/6 to 60/- per week; machine hands, 15/- to 42/- per week.

Blacksmiths, 10/- per day; average 50/- per week.

Boilermakers—

1/3 per hour, new work } approximate average
1/4 " old work } per week, 35/-

Bookbinders, 56/- per week.

Bootmakers—Male, 48/- per week; average 38/-
Female, 15/- " ; " 12/6

Brass-finishers, 1/- per hour; average 42/-

Brassmoulders, 1/3 " " 50/-

Bread-carters (60 hours per week), min. 45/-

Brewery and Aerated Water Factory Hands, 42/- to 46/-

Bricklayers, 1/4½ per hour; average 45/-

Brick-carters, 1 horse, 40/- per week; 2 horses, 45/- per week; 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse.

Brickmakers—Time rate, 10½d. to 1/1½d. per hour; piecework, average 57/6 per week.

Brushmakers, 1/3 per hour, or 52/6 per week.

Butchers (city), without board, 40/- to 65/-

Carpenters and Joiners, 1/3 per hour; average 45/-
Carters. (See "Trolley and Draymen.")

Cabinetmakers, min. 52/-; average 56/- per week.

Chairmakers, min. 52/-; average 56/- per week.

Cigarmakers, male and female; average 45/-

Coach-painters, 8/- to 10/- per day; average 45/-

Coachsmiths, 8/- to 10/- per day; average 50/-

Compositors—Piecework, 1/- to 1/1 per 1,000 ens.

" Jobbing, 56/- per week.

" Linotype (newspapers), 3¾d. per 1,000 ens (flat rate). Time rate, day, 1/7; night, 1/10 per hour.

Coopers (piecework), avg. 50/- to 55/- per week.

Coppersmiths, 1/4 per hour; avg. 50/- per week.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Electricians—

Fitters, 9/- to 10/6 per day.

Armature Winders and Wiremen, 9/- per day.

Engine-drivers (stationary), 8/- to 11/- "

Firemen " 8/- to 9/- "

Engine-fitters, 1/3 to 1/4 per hour; average 50/-

Farriers—Firemen, 60/- per week.

" Floormen, 52/6 "

French-polishers, min. 48/-; average 51/-

Galvanised Iron-workers, 1/1½ per hour; avg. 50/-

Glass-workers, 50/- to 65/- per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers (59 hours per week), 48/- to 58/- per week.

Hatters (felt), piecework 65/- to 70/- per week.

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Ironmoulders and Turners, 1/3 per hour; av. 45/-

Jam Factory Workers—

Males, adults, 40/-; boys, 13/- to 27/6 per w.k.

Females, adults, 20/-; girls, 10/- to 18/6 "

Labourers—Skilled 8/-; unskilled, 7/- per day; average 40/-

Letter-press Machinists, min. 50/- to 56/- per week; average 45/-

Lithographers, min. 60/- per week.

Malt-house Hands, 40/- per week.

Marble-workers, 7/6 to 10/- per day.

Masons and Stone-cutters, 10/- per day; avg. 40/-

Navvies, 7/- to 8/- per day; average 40/-

Painters (44 hours per week), 1/- to 1/3 per hour; average 45/-

Paperhangers, 1/3 per hour; average 45/-

Pattern-makers, 10/8 to 12/- per day.

Plasterers, 1/3 per hour; average 45/- per week.

Plumbers, 1/4½ " " 50/- "

Saddlers (piecework), average 50/- "

Saw-mill Employees per hour, Machinists, 1s. 3d.;

Saw Sharpeners, 1s. 2½d.; Sawyers, 1s. 0½d.;

Engine-drivers, 1s.

Shipwrights (adults), 11/- to 12/- per day.

Shop Assistants (adults)—

Males, 35/- to 45/-

Females, 17/6 to 25/- per week.

Slaters and Tilers, 1/3 to 1/4½ per hour.

Tailors, 55/- per week.

" Pressers, 55/- per week.

Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 27/6 per week, or log rates.

" (trousers hands), order, 22/6 to 26/- per week.

" (vest hands), order, 20/- to 25/- per week.

" (factory), order, 10/- to 20/- per week.

Tinsmiths, 1/1½ and 1/3 per hour; average, 50/- per week.

Tobacco-workers, men, 50/-; women, 25/- per week.

Trolley and Draymen—

1 horse, 42/- per week.

2 horses, 47/- "

2/6 per week for each extra horse. Working week not to exceed 56 hours.

Timber-carters, 1 horse, 42/-; 2 horses, 47/-; and 3/- per week for each extra horse.

Tip-carters, 1 horse, 40/-; 2 horses, 45/-

Typewriters (females), 10/- to 30/- per week.

Upholsterers, min. 52/-; average 57/6 per week.

Wharf Labourers—

Deep sea, 1/3 per hour; 1/9 overtime.

Interstate and Coastal, 1/1½ per hour; 1/8 overtime.

Wheelwrights, 8/- to 10/- per day; average 45/-

Woolwashers, 6/- to 7/- per day; average 40/-

Ferry Employees.

Engine-drivers, £15 to £16/10/- per month.

Firemen, £9/10/- to £11/5/- per month.

Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers.

Officers, chief, £15 to £19; 2nd, £12 to £14; 3rd, £10 to £11; 4th, £8.

Firemen, £9 to £10.

Trimmers, £7.

Engineers, chief, £20 to £27/10/-; 2nd, £16 to £19; 3rd, £14 to £15; 4th, £12.

Able Seamen, £7.

" " (sailing ships), average £5.

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Officers, Chief, £12 to £16; 2nd, £10 to £13; 3rd, £8 to £10. Donkeymen, £10 to £11.
Firemen, £9; £10, if 6-hour watches. Able Seamen and Trimmers, £7.

Farm and Station Hands (with rations and lodging), per week or per year.

Boundary Riders, 17/6 to 20/-
Bullock Drivers, 20/- to 25/-
Country Blacksmiths—
Station, 30/-
General (without rations), 50/- to 60/-
Dairy Hands, 17/6 to 22/6
Farm Labourers, 20/-
Harvest Hands, 6/- to 7/- per day.
Horse-team Drivers, 25/- to 30/-
Married Couples (without family)—
Farm, £80 to £90.
Station, £85 to £95.
Rouseabouts, 15/- to 20/-
Orchard Hands, 14/- to 20/-
Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 24/-
Stockmen, £52 to £65.
Useful Boys, 7/6 to 12/6 (age 15 to 18).
Vignerons, 15/- to 20/-

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cooks (Females)—
Hotel, 20/- to 30/-
Station, 20/- to 25/-
Private house, 15/- to 20/-
Boarding-house, 20/- to 30/-
Cook and Laundress, 15/- to 20/-
House and Parlour Maid, 13/- to 15/-
Laundresses, 17/6 to 20/-
General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards),
10/- to 20/-
Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 6/- to 10/-
Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 6/- to 10/-
Waitresses (board only), 12/- to 16/-
Gardeners, 20/- to 25/-
Grooms and Coachmen, 20/- to 25/-

No. 50.—Meteorology.

District.	July, 1910.					July— (Mean 1900–1909).			Mean annual— All previous years.	
	Temperature.			Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Mean Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.
	Mean.	Mean Max.	Mean Min.							
	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.
North Coast—										
Grafton	56·1	68·8	43·3	0·13	2	54·3	1·80	4	68·1	38·81
Hunter and Manning—										
Singleton	51·4	58·7	44·1	2·22	6	49·1	2·29	6	64·1	29·54
Cumberland—										
Sydney	53·2	59·5	46·8	8·69	13	51·9	5·61	12	63·0	47·97
South Coast—										
Bega ... ..	...	...	35·5	3·06	7	45·7	3·22	5	59·6	31·50
Northern Tableland—										
Armidale	42·3	49·9	34·7	2·19	10	41·8	1·98	8	56·4	31·77
Central Tableland—										
Bathurst	43·9	52·2	35·6	1·52	15	42·3	1·92	10	57·4	23·73
Southern Tableland—										
Goulburn	45·0	51·8	38·2	3·17	14	41·1	2·05	11	56·0	25·49
North-western Slope—										
Gunnedah	48·3	59·6	36·9	1·61	7	48·1	1·26	5	66·2	24·98
Central-western Slope—										
Dubbo	49·5	58·9	40·0	1·58	8	47·7	1·33	8	63·5	22·38
South-western Slope—										
Wagga	48·1	54·9	41·2	2·34	16	46·4	2·07	10	61·6	21·62
North-western Plain—										
Moree	52·1	64·2	39·9	1·47	6	50·1	0·97	5	68·4	23·35
Central-western Plain—										
Coonamble	50·3	61·2	39·4	0·84	6	49·6	0·88	4	65·8	19·92
Riverina—										
Deniliquin	47·9	55·6	40·1	2·29	15	47·5	1·46	10	62·3	16·35

No. 51.—Crown Lands Selections, 1910.

The following statements show—(first) the Land Selected; and (second), the Area made available for Residential Settlement during the month of July, 1910, and during the period from 1st January to 31st July, 1910 :—

LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE "CROWN LANDS ACT."

Description of Holding.	During July, 1910.		1st Jan. to 31st July, 1910.	
	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Conditional Purchase Leases	19	10,144	117	56,075
Original Conditional Purchases	105	16,729	635	99,943
*Conditional Leases applied for simultaneously with and in virtue of these O.C. Purchases	(71)	29,248	(401)	174,144
Original Homestead Selections	19	9,386	79	28,429
Original Settlement Leases	9	33,059	73	192,028
Special Conditional Purchase Leases ... ..	...	...	6	802
Settlement Purchases	7	8,298	217	148,207
Total of New Settlers	159	106,864	1,127	699,628
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Additional Conditional Purchases	77	10,963	457	73,175
Additional Conditional Leases	95	23,450	661	205,698
Additional Homestead Selections	5	1,322	29	9,862
Additional Settlement Leases	4	4,664	18	16,046
Additional Conditional Purchase Leases ... ..	...	...	1	65
Total	181	40,405	1,176	304,846

* A Conditional Lease may be of any area not exceeding three times that of the associated Conditional Purchase, and is usually taken up at the same time as the Conditional Purchase. It is not, however, treated as an additional holding.

AREAS SPECIALLY SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	During July, 1910.		1st Jan. to 31st July, 1910.	
	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
For Conditional Purchase Lease*	8	5,044	113	55,638
Original Conditional Purchase	2	199	26	4,465
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof	25	15,608	215	183,189
Special Conditional Purchase Lease ... ..	...	...	7	2,062
Original Homestead Selection	15	5,343	72	28,106
Original Settlement Lease	4	12,849	48	125,029
Settlement Purchase ... ..	...	...	202	148,776
Total	54	39,043	683	547,265
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
For all forms of Additional Holdings	61	33,501	432	288,058
Additional Conditional Purchase	1	20	7	196
Additional Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease ... ..	...	...	1	1,050
Additional Homestead Selection ... ..	...	...	5	145
Additional Settlement Lease ... ..	...	...	4	4,492
Additional Conditional Purchase, Conditional Lease, or Additional Homestead Selection ... ..	...	...	1	97
Total	62	33,521	450	294,038